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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/827,278 : Group Art Unit: 2627

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Applicant: Beach : Examiner: Evans, Jefferson A.

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For: SPIN VALVE SENSOR WITH AN ANTIFERROMAGNETIC LAYER

BETWEEN TWO PINNED LAYERS

Date: April 21, 2008

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT B

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of February 5, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.